

USAG Giessen Child & Youth Services



Bringing wonderful summer days ahead!

19 June to 25 August 2006

**For Children in Grades K-12 and
Homeschool or Host Country School Equivalent**

**Serving Children and Youth in the
Butzbach, Bad Nauheim, Friedberg, and Giessen Communities**



Welcome! We are very excited about our summer program this year. We hope that your family will join us in one of our many programs: camps, individual sports clinics, and trips.

We offer full-day summer camps for children in K-12 grades. Camps will be held at Butzbach CDC, SAS, and YS. A daily shuttle transports your children between your local center to and from Butzbach.

So... don't worry! We have a fun-filled summer planned your family will enjoy. Let us bring to you many wonderful summer days ahead!



Registration

All children must be registered with CLEOS in order to participate. A copy of the registration packet must be taken to the program prior to care.



Children with Special Needs



Children requiring special attention due to chronic illness or condition are included in the program. The Special Needs Resource Team (SNRT) reviews each case and recommends appropriate placement to meet each child's needs.

Administering Medications



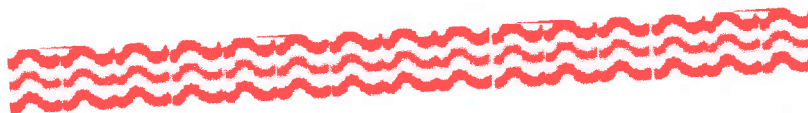
Staff can administer medication during the summer sessions for children who are regularly enrolled in camp. If your child is on medication, please make sure the camp director knows.

CYS staff **cannot** administer medications stating "as needed" or "PRN" and can not alter dosage.



Basic Care Items

Sunscreen and lip balm may be applied without a prescription, but it must be on the basic care items list approved by Preventive Medicine. A list is at each site. Parent/ guardian must provide each child with his/her own bottle or tube. (continued on page 4)





CYS Summer Together: A Look Ahead

1 Summer Splash Do you like water? Explore a week of water adventure with activities that include water gun wars, wacky and wild water relays, and many other events guaranteed to leave you cool and wet. On the dryer side we have water balloon toss, Bob the Sponge, Water blaster Blow-out. And on the flip side we will learn some valuable lessons on water and its conservation.

4 Action! Lights, camera, and action! This week features Academy Award-winning performances and trips down the Hollywood Walk of fame as campers take center stage to spotlight their creative talents through skits, art projects, talent shows.

7 Boot Camp Enjoy a week filled with physical and mental challenges. We will have obstacle courses, special forces team; all these as we dress up as commandos. The week ends with an intense game of capture the flag. Are you ready for it?

10 Cool Down Celebrate the last days of summer with cool down activities. We'll go bowling and have a great BBQ. We will take time to reflect and set goals for the new school year.

2 World of Games A week full of games and activities from all over the world that focus on having fun. Campers will learn flag football, soccer, cheerleading, basketball led by our counselors. Discover out-of-this-world fun to team challenges, wacky relays, Jello contests, tournaments, Ultimate Frisbee, and many more.

5 Carnival This week is filled with a lot of hands on arts & crafts. Make a clay sculpture and glass beads, learn how to scrapbook, and make homemade soap. Step right up and try your luck at the challenging (but not too hard) Midway games, Goblet Toss, Cat Rack, Basketball Hoop, Spin-the-Wheel, and Hula Hoop Toss. Wait, there's more...face painting, juggling, and balloon characters.

8 Survivor Tribal teams will compete in obstacle courses, scavenger hunts, wacky competitions, riddles and immunity challenges that will challenge your tribe to be the SURVIVOR. But watch out! You may get slimed! Spend a week venturing outdoors learning about environmental awareness, creating nature crafts, participating in teamwork adventure activities, outdoor cooking and more.



3 Amazing Animals Crikey mate!! It's a jungle out there. Join us on a safari to discover dinosaurs, play capture the flag, arts and crafts, try our Wallaby soup, and go on a scavenger hunt.

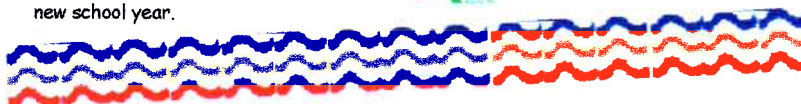
6 Time Travel Join us as we travel through time and visit the 1950's with a sock hop & floats, the 1970's with tie-dyeing t-shirts and a groovy 70's fashion show, 2006 with a time capsule and 2030 to explore the newest inventions.

9 Around the World Enjoy a week long learning excursion to other lands. The week culminates with a cultural celebration to include food, national attire, music, dance or rituals, and languages.

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OF AMERICA**



Please remind your children that sharing is nice, but not when you are sharing lotions and lip protection. Other child may have an allergic reaction to these products. Encourage your children and youth to wear hats and sunblock lotion when on the playground or on field trips, particularly when around pools.

Personal Items



No one is allowed to bring any personal items such as portable game consoles, etc. Any personal items brought to camp will be the responsibility of your child. Camp staff will not be responsible for loss or damage to any item brought in.

What to Bring on Fieldtrips



1. Water Bottle with Water
2. Jacket or Raincoat or Umbrella
3. Extra Clothes
4. Swim Wear & Towel
5. Money (Optional) - \$5* or €5*

* Staff will not be responsible for any money.

Meals and Snacks



Nutritious meals and snacks based on USDA requirements are served fresh daily. CYS prepares meals- and snacks-to-go for trips. No food may be taken on any of the trips.

What to Wear



Dress for comfort according to the weather and activities.

For safety reasons, thong and other open-toed footwear is not allowed.

A complete change of clothing is recommended.

Swim wear should be modest. No flimsy types.

Force protection recommends clothes that blend with the public. Avoid clothing with inappropriate print or pictures.

Drinking Water



Each camper must bring enough drinking water for each trip. The container must be labeled with the child's name. Drinking water is available at the camp site and in many of the trips destinations. We also take water jugs to refill bottles in the bus during the return trip.





CYS Summer Together: Camp Fees

CDC Camp Fees

Completed Kindergarten

Hourly Care: \$4.00 per hour

	Cat 1	Cat 2	Cat 3	Cat 4	Cat 5	Cat 6
Full-day Rate	\$196	\$264	\$318	\$376	\$432	\$490
Full-day Rate (Jul) 3rd Prorated	\$187	\$251	\$303	\$358	\$411	\$467
M-W-F Rate (Jun)	\$53	\$72	\$87	\$103	\$118	\$134
M-W-F Rate (Jul) 3rd Prorated	\$112	\$151	\$182	\$215	\$247	\$280
M-W-F Rate (1-18 Aug)	\$105	\$141	\$170	\$201	\$230	\$261
Full-day 21-23 Aug (CDC)	\$26	\$34	\$41	\$49	\$56	\$64
Transition 24-25 Aug (SAS)	\$17	\$23	\$28	\$33	\$38	\$43

SAS Camp Fees

Completed Grades 1-5

Hourly Care: \$3.00 per hour

	Cat1	Cat2	Cat3	Cat4	Cat5	Cat6
Weekly Rate	\$36	\$54	\$64	\$78	\$82	\$94
Weekly Rate (3-7 Jul) Prorated	\$29	\$43	\$51	\$62	\$66	\$75

If monthly payment is preferred, multiply the weekly fee and the number of weeks paying in advance. Payments are due every Thursday to reserve and guarantee space.

Note CDC/SAS Fees: Fees are based on total family income. It includes care from 0600-1800.

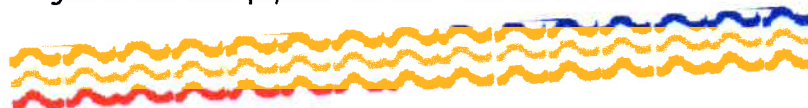
Hourly care fees are incurred in 30 minute increments and are payable upon pick-up. **Applicable incidental fees for trips and activities are added to hourly care fees and are due at least 1 day before departure.**

MS/Teen Camp Fees

Completed Grades 6-8 Grades 9-12

No hourly rate	Middle School	Teen
Weekly Rate	\$45	No Cost

Fees are paid in weekly increments and are due by close of business each Thursday before the week desired. Space is only guaranteed when payment has been received on time.





CYS Summer Together: Daily Plan

Camp Shuttle Service for M-W-Th-F



Below is the shuttle schedule between Bad Nauheim and Giessen to and from Butzbach. Refer to trip schedule for Tuesdays.

YS	SAS	CDC	Depart	Origin	Return	Destination
x	x	x	0800	Bad Nauheim Bus Stop	1645	Butzbach CDC & BES Bus Stop
	x		0800	Giessen SAS	1700	
x		x	0815	Giessen YS/CDC	1645	BES Bus Stop

Daily Schedule



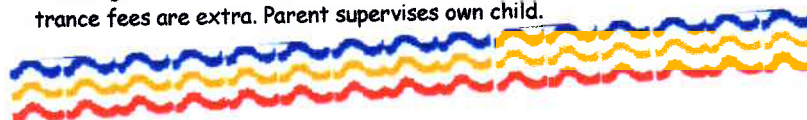
0600-0800	Arrivals at CDC/SAS Bus Stop before 0800. Bus will leave ON TIME.
0800-0900	Travel to Butzbach from Giessen & Bad Nauheim
0900-0930	Opening / Group Time
0930-1030	CYS Sports Program or Camp Activities
1030-1130	Camp Activities
1130-1300	Lunch / Free Time
1300-1500	Camp Activities
1500-1600	Snack / Free Time
1600-1615	Wrap Up!
1615-1800	Departures / Travel Back to Own Sites

Tuesday Destinations



Wk	2006	K	SA	MS	T	Destinations
1	19-23 Jun		x	x		Frankfurt Pool
2	26-30 Jun		x	x	x	Europa Park
3	3-7 Jul	x X*	x	x		Duisburg Zoo (SA) Koln City Tour (YS)
4	10-14 Jul		x	x		Movie Park
5	17-21 Jul		x	x	x	Geiselwind
6	24-28 Jul		x	x		Holiday Park
7	31 Jul - 4 Aug		x	x		Panorama Park
8	7-11 Aug	X*	x	x	x	Koln Zoo
9	14-18 Aug		x	x		Lochmuele (SA) FB Castle & Hessen Park (YS)

*Kindergarteners, accompanied by a parent, may go on Zoo trips, but entrance fees are extra. Parent supervises own child.





CYS Summer Together: Kindergarten

Cloverbuds is an informal, non-competitive, educational program designed to help children in kindergarten learn to get along with others, explore many interests, learn subject matter skills, and build self-confidence and self-esteem through healthy learning experiences.



Who can be a Cloverbud?



A Cloverbud can be any child in or has just completed kindergarten as of the end of the current school year.



Head
Learning

Health
Having
Fun

Making
Friends

Heart

Doing

Hands



I pledge

My Head to clearer thinking,
My heart to greater loyalty,
My Hands to larger service,
My Health to better living,
for my club, my community,
my country, and my world.

Kindergarten Full-Day Program
0600-1800, Monday-Friday
4-H Cloverbuds Summer Camp
0830-1600, Mon-Wed-Fri
Butzbach CDC

Shuttle between Bad Nauheim
and Giessen to & from Butzbach.

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CYS Summer Together: Grades 1-4

4-H Camp: Summerific!

2006

Life Skills, Citizenship, &
Leadership Science & Gardening
Writing & Research
Head Storytelling
DAKE Office
Leadership Play

Arts, Recreation &
Leisure
Fine Art
Photography
Emotional Journey
Hands



Summer
2006

Health

Sports, Fitness & Health
Activities

Variety of Games &
Tournaments
Basketball/Golf Unit
Indoor/Outdoor Soccer
Football Skills Camp
Track & Field Events

Smart Kids
Mobile Library

Heart

Mentoring, Intervention &
Academic Services

24 Jul at 1330
Bafflin'
Bill Cody,
the Magician

How to Enroll:

1. Register or renew your children registration at CLEOS.
2. Enroll your children for Camp.
3. Attend one of the scheduled orientations or make an appointment. Parents of current and returning children must also attend an orientation.
4. Pay at least 1 week of the camp fee **PRIOR** to week of care.

Butzbach SAS: 0600 to 1800

Giessen/Bad Nauheim SAS:

0600-0800 arrivals

0800-0830 travel to Butzbach

1615-1800 travel / departures

Note: Shuttle available.

Hourly Care (HC)

0600-1800, Mon-Fri

New in town? Visit SAS
and we'll show you the
ropes and get you in-
volved. There's plenty of
fun things to do here!



Mandatory Parent & Child Orientation

Current, returning, and new en-
rollees must attend one of the
scheduled group orientations or
make an appointment prior to care.

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AfterSchool
ASSOCIATION



CYS Summer Together: Grades 5/6-8 Grades 9-12

Camp 'B' Jammin' (for MS)

Head Life Skills, Citizenship & Leadership Sports, Fitness & Health Activities **Health**

Goals for Graduation
Career Launch
Job Ready

Core Tech
4-H



Safety and Nutrition
Fitness Authority
Member Organization of



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Passport to Manhood
Dragonfly Quest
Project Learn

Smart Moves
Act Smart

Fine Arts Exhibit Program
National Photography Contest
Digital Arts Suite

Heart Mentoring, Intervention & Academic Services

Arts, Recreation **Hands**
& Leisure

Camp Hours: 0900 to 1600

Giessen/Bad Nauheim Shuttle:

0800 shuttle depart from Bad
Nauheim bus stop & Giessen YS

0800-0830 travel to Butzbach

1615-1800 travel / departures

Camp "B" Jammin



Camp 'B' Jammin' (for HS)



The BGCA Career Launch program will be introduced this summer. Get ready for college. Don't miss it!

Wk	2006	Description	Destinations
2	26-30 Jun	Sports, Fitness & Health	Europa Park
5	17-21 Jul	Arts, Recreation, & Leisure	Geiselwind
8	7-11 Aug	Life Skills, Education, & Academic Services	Koln Zoo





CYS Summer Together: Trips For Teens and Families

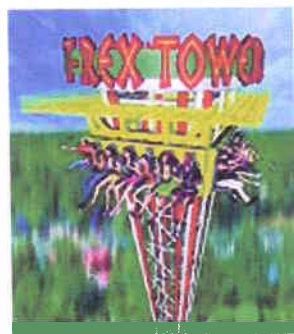
10 Jun Teen Friedberg Rock Climbing Wall

16 Jun Teen School's Out Dance Party

17 Jun Erlebness Park Trip

24 Jun Teen Europa Park Trip

June



July

7-9 Jul Teen Ropes Course at Weiden

15 Jul Geiselwind Amusement Park Trip

22 Jul Alligator Farm Trip

29 Jul Oberhausen Outlet Mall Trip

4-5 Aug EuroDisney Family Trip

10-13 Aug Teen Garmisch Adventure Trip

19 Aug Czech Family Trip

23 Aug Heidelberg PX Shopping Trip

26 Aug Teen Back-to-School Shopping Trip



August





CYS Summer Together: Summer Individual Sports

CLEOS

Period Covered: 20 Jun - 27 Jul 06

**Registration
required**



Roller Hockey

9-18 years old

Tuesdays, 1500-1700

Butzbach Sports Field

Cost: Free

Learn the basic skills of the roller hockey. Bring roller blades and safety gear, if available.

Bowling

6-18 years old

Wednesdays, 1530-1700

Giessen Bowling Center

Cost: \$17.50 (3 games & shoe rental for entire clinic)

Every session gives special attention to learning the basic skills of bowling.



Youth must be at Golf Course Clubhouse by the designated time. Coaches will work with youth on the fundamentals of putting, chipping and driving.

Bring your own golf clubs, if available. Those without golf clubs may share the sets we will provide.

Junior Golf

9-18 years old

Thursdays, 1500-1700

Winnerod Golf Course

Cost: €3.00 per day
(3 ball buckets)



Each session teaches the basic skills and rules of table tennis.

Table Tennis

10-18 years old

Fridays, 1500-1700

Giessen VS

Cost: Free



CYS Summer Together: Trips for Families



When: 24 Jun 06
Where: Legoland Deutschland
Depart: 0600, Butzbach ES Parking Area
Return: 2300 (approx.)
Cost: \$50 3 years & up



When: 30 Jun - 3 Jul 06 (with 2 Overnights)
Where: Copenhagen, Hansa Park/Lubeck, Berlin
Depart: 2000, Giessen Depot Main Gate
Return: 0100 (3/4 Jul, approx.)



Note: Passport Required

Cost: \$150 15 & up / \$75 4-14 Hotel: €188 per Double room, for
Bus seat, 2 city tour guides. 2 people with breakfast. Children
pay extra for breakfast.



When: 22 Jul 06
Where: Luxembourg City Tour (Luxembourg)
Depart: 0600, Butzbach ES Parking Area
Return: 2400 (approx.)
Cost: \$40 Note: Passport Required

When: 5 Aug 06
Where: Brussels City Tour (Belgium)
Depart: 0500, Butzbach ES Parking Area
Return: 2400 (approx.)
Cost: \$40 Note: Passport Required



When: 19 Aug 06
Where: SeaLife &/or Centro Mall
Depart: 0730, Butzbach ES Parking Area
Return: 2300 (approx.)
Cost: \$25 (plus optional SeaLife entrance)





CYS Fall Preview 16 Sep—America's Day for Kids

School-Age Services Events & Programs

SAS Open House

14 Sep, 1500 — Bad Nauheim SAS

21 Sep, 1500 — Friedberg SAS

21 Sep, 1500 — Butzbach SAS

28 Sep, 1500 — Giessen SAS



SAS will be offering community-based afterschool programming. We're going out to you! Join a 4-H Club and have a fun time while meeting new friends.



Friedberg SAS — FREE!
Social Recreation and 4-H Club
Open Every 3rd Thursday at 3

Giessen, Butzbach, Bad Nauheim, & Friedberg SAS will turn on the lights after-school. We invite everyone to discover what fun things are happening after the bell rings!



Lights On Afterschool

will be held on **12 Oct.**

Lights On Afterschool is the only nationwide event celebrating afterschool programs. The event brings attention to the need for afterschool programs that keep kids safe, help working families, and inspire learning.

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Youth Services Back-to-School Events

25 Aug, 2100 — Welcome Back Teen Dance Party at Studio 284th, Giessen YS

9 Sep, 1900 — Back-to-School PreTeen Dance Party at Butzbach YS. Come and enjoy food, fun, and make new friends.

22 Sep — Annual Newcomers Open House & BBQ at Butzbach and Giessen YS.

Fall Sports Line-Up

Soccer, Flag Football, and Cheerleading

Registration 3 Jul—11 Aug

Ages: 4-18 years old

Cost: \$30



Partners for Youth

4H is a community of young people across America who are learning leadership, citizenship and life skills.

The 4-H Pledge

"I Pledge my **Head** to clearer thinking,
my **Heart** to greater loyalty,
my **Hands** to larger service,
and my **Health** to better living,
for my club, my community, my country,
and my world."

The pledge tells what 4-H is all about. 4-H has as its goal the four-fold development of youth: Head, Heart, Hands and Health. The pledge was adopted by the delegates to the 1927 National 4-H Club Camp in Washington, DC. State club leaders voted for and adopted the pledge for universal use. The phrase "and my world" was added in 1973. The saying of the pledge has prominent place in 4-H activities at regular 4-H meetings, achievement days, and other club events.

4-H Mission

4-H empowers youth to reach their full potential, working and learning in partnership with caring adults.

4-H Vision

A world in which youth and adults learn, grow and work together as catalysts for positive change.



Motto: "To Make The Best Better"

The motto was adopted at about the same time as the 4-H Club Pledge. Its intent is to inspire young people to continue to learn and grow, to make their best efforts better through participating in educational experiences.

"Learning By Doing"

This phrase sums up the educational philosophy of the 4-H program. Young people learn best when they are involved in their learning. The intent is to do, reflect, and apply.



Experience 



CYS Directory



Giessen CDC, 0641-402-6200, Bldg. 1714

Butzbach CDC, 06033-67922, Bldg. 6528

Bad Nauheim CDC, 06032-83536, Bldg. 5626

Friedberg CDC, 06031-81-3137, Bldg. 3613

Family Child Care, 0641-402-7626, Bldg 3, Room 211

Bad Nauheim SAS, 06032-803803, Bldg 5610-5A&B

Giessen SAS, 0641-402-6128/7319, Bldg. 6301

Butzbach SAS, 06033-65961/744401, Bldg. 6548

Friedberg SAS, 06031-813492, Bldg. 6814

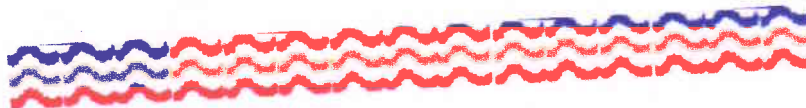
Open every 3rd Thursday each month, 1500-1700

Open/Social Recreation for children in 1-5/6th grades.

Giessen Youth Services, 0641-402-6129, Bldg. 1714

Butzbach Youth Services, 06033-73048, Bldg. 6564

Youth Sports, 0641-402-6969, Bldg. 1714



CLEOS, Bldg 3 Room 215

Giessen Depot

343-8216/7028

0641-402-8216/7028

